

CITY OF EDINA

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Building Inspections Division

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PERMIT NUMBER

HERITAGE LANDMARK **CASE NUMBER**

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Building Permit Application PRINT OR TYPE APPLICATION

Site Information Address			Suite/Unit number
Lot Block		Subdivi	vision
Tenant/Building name			
Year structure built			
Work Description Proposed starting date			
☐ 1 New ☐ 2 Ac	ddition 3	Alteration	☐ 3 Remodel ☐ 4 Repair ☐ 4 Replace
Single Family Detached Single Family Attached Residential Garage/Addn Residential Addition/Porch Residential Deck/Shed Reroof Interior Remodel Basement Finish 2 Family Residential Job Description	Office/Bank/Promotes	ential use ofessional o/Ramp /Repair Gar	
Construction Type	Occu	pancy Class	ssification Fire Sprinklered \(\sqrt{Y}\)es \(\sqrt{N}\)
Project Valuation			Applicant is ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
Contractor Information Company name			Contact name
Address		City	ity State Zip
Phone	Cell		EMail
Contractors License #			Lead Certification #
Designer Information			
Company name			ArchitectEngineerDesigner
Address		Cit	ity State Zip
Contact person name			MN License/Registration #
Phone	Cell		Email

Owner Information									
		State Zip							
Phone	Cell	Email							
Applicant Signature I hereby apply for a permi	t and attest to the following:								
All information on this applic	ation is complete and accurate.								
All work will comply with Edina City Code and Minnesota State Building Code. (permits expire 180 days after last inspection date)									
I understand this is an applic	understand this is an application only, <u>not a permit.</u> Work will not start without an approved permit.								
All work will be done accordi	ng to plans approved by the City of Ed	dina when approved plans are required.							
Erosion and sediment contro	ol, when applicable, will be installed be	fore starting work.							
Existing grades and drainage	e will not be altered without approved	grading/drainage plans and schedule.							
*Effective July 1, 2015: Tree	Protection Plan required per Ordinar	nce No. 2014-25.							
Applicant's signature		Date							
Applicant's printed or type	d name								
		when the homeowner is the permit applicant							
I understand the State of Minnesota requires residential contractors, residential remodelers and residential roofers be licensed to work in the State unless they qualify for a specific exemption from the licensing requirements. By signing this statement, I certify that I am building or improving this dwelling myself. I claim to be exempt from state licensing requirements because I am not in the business of building on speculation or for resale. I certify I have not built or improved any other residential structures in the State within the past twenty-four months. I also acknowledge that, because I do not have a state license, I forfeit any mechanic's lien rights to which I may otherwise have been entitled under MS 514.01. I further acknowledge I may be hiring independent contractors to perform certain aspects of the improvements on this dwelling, and I understand some of these contractors may be required to be licensed by the State. I understand unlicensed residential contracting, residential remodeling and residential roofing activity is a misdemeanor under Minnesota law, and I forfeit my rights to reimbursement from the Contractors Recovery Fund in the event any contractors I hire are unlicensed. Date									
Homeowner's typed or pri	nted name								
Contact the Minnesota Depa status. Metro 651-284-5005	rtment of Labor and Industry to detern , Outstate: 1-800-342-5354 or <u>wwwd</u>	mine if a contractor is licensed or exempt or to check on contractor li.mn.gov and follow links to License Lookup							
Approvals	for office use only	Fees for office use only							
Building Inspections Dept		Permit fee Yes No							
By		Plan review fee Yes No							
Engineering Dept	Date	State surcharge							
		Contractor license fee Yes No							
Planning Dept/Heritage Pl By/	Date/	Investigation fee Yes No							
Health Dept		SAC fee Yes No# of units							
By	Date	Sewer assessment Yes No							
Fire Dept		Water assessment							
By	Date	Sewer REC Yes No# of units							
Public Works Dept By	Date	Water REC Yes No# of units							
	Date								
G:\Forms\Applications\appl-BLD)Res-r10	Cash Escrow (\$2,500) Yes No							
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CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR

				(For Office Use Only)
Project Name & Site Address Number		QR Code		Permit Number
	dressed as r	oted below. Any reference	es to start	tion methods for a project of this type date or duration of specific items are to be found at: www.EdinaMN.gov
The undersigned hereby acknowled	ges that the	ey are responsible for con	nplying wit	th the below conditions.
Signature of Contractor		 Date		
Site Contractor:				
Address:				
Phone:				
Email Address:				
The estimated construction start da The estimated completion date is _				
Sec 10-110 Permit Requires	ments Ur	lless otherwise specificall	v provided	I the following are required for both
demolition permits and building per		•	•	· ·
Demolition: The removal o single or two fa			ent (50%)	of the area of the exterior walls of a
Building Permit: A permit to	-	•	dwelling (unit.
(I) The applicant must furnish the	City with a	certificate of insurance e	videncing 1	the following required coverage:
Commercial general liability, inc	luding XCL	coverage:		
Bodily Injury:	\$1,000	0,000 each occurrence		
, , ,	\$1,000	0,000 aggregate products	and	
		eted operations		
Property Damage:	•),000 each occurrence		
1 / 3		0,000 aggregate		
Comprehensive Automobile Lia	bility (owne	ed, non-owned, hired):		
Bodily Injury:	• `	0,000 each occurrence		
, , ,		0,000 each accident		
Property Damage:		0,000 each occurrence		

The minimum insurance coverage must be maintained until six (6) months after the demolition has been completed or, if a new dwelling is being constructed, a certificate of occupancy has been issued. The City must be named as an additional insured.

- (2) Cash escrow. The applicant must furnish the City a cash escrow of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars. A single escrow is required for both a demolition permit and building permit. The City may draw on the cash escrow to reimburse the City for the repair of damage to public property or to remedy permit violations. If the City draws on the cash escrow, upon the City's demand the permit holder must deposit in escrow additional funds to restore the escrowed amount to Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars. The cash escrow must remain in place until the work under the permit for which the escrow was made has been completed.
- (3) Soils investigation report and shoring plan. Based upon soil types, topography, the location of adjacent structures and other pertinent information, the Building Official shall determine if a soils investigation report and/or shoring plan is necessary. If the Building Official determines that a soils report is necessary, the applicant shall have a soil report prepared and signed by a licensed professional soil scientist or licensed professional engineer. If the building official determines a shoring plan is necessary, the applicant must provide detailed plans to ensure that adjacent property will not be damaged by reducing lateral support for driveways, foundations, fences or lawns caused by excavation, demolition or construction activity. The report must be approved by the Building Official. The permit holder must adhere to the approved plan(s).
- (4) Existing condition of property. Before a permit is issued, the Building Official must photograph the existing condition of the property, curbs, sidewalks, streets, boulevard and trees adjacent to the property.
- (5) Written notification of demolition. For a demolition permit, at least fifteen (15) calendar days before demolition commences, the permit holder must provide written notification to all property owners within three hundred (300) feet of the demolition site notifying the property owners of the proposed demolition and building plans, if applicable, and invite them to a neighborhood meeting. The neighborhood meeting must be held at least five (5) days before demolition commences. A sign must also be posted on the demolition site at least five (5) days before demolition commences identifying the nature of the demolition, the permit holder, a contact name and phone number, and the site address. The sign must also provide a City phone number to call with any questions, complaints or concerns. The dimension of the sign must be between five (5) and six (6) square feet. The sign and the content of the sign must be visible from the street. The sign must be kept in place until the completion of demolition.
- (6) Signage of construction. For a building permit, a sign must be posted on the permit site at least five (5) days before construction commences identifying the nature of the construction, the permit holder, a contact name and phone number, and the site address. The sign must also provide a City phone number to call with any questions, complaints or concerns. The dimension of the sign must be between five (5) and six (6) square feet. The sign and the content of the sign must be visible from the street. The sign must be kept in place until a certificate of occupancy has been issued.
- (7) Stormwater and erosion control plans. For a building permit, the applicant must submit stormwater and erosion control plans prepared and signed by a licensed professional engineer. The plans must be approved by the City Engineer and the permit holder must adhere to the approved plans. The stormwater management plan must detail how stormwater will be controlled to prevent damage to adjacent property and adverse impacts to the public stormwater drainage

system. The erosion control plan must document how proper erosion and sediment control will be maintained on a continual basis to contain on-site erosion and protect on and off-site vegetation. Permit holder must protect all storm drain inlets with sediment capture devices at all time during the project when soil disturbing activities may result in sediment laden storm water runoff entering the inlet. The permit holder is responsible for preventing or minimizing the potential for unsafe conditions, flooding, or siltation problems. Devices must be regularly cleaned out and emergency overflow must be an integral part of the device to reduce the flooding potential. Devices must be placed to prevent the creation of driving hazards or obstructions.

Sec. 10-111. Permit Standards for Both Demolition Permits and Building Permits.

- (a) The permit holder must comply with the State Building Code, State Statutes and the City Code, including articles III,VI, VII and XVII of this Chapter.
- (b) Deliveries of equipment and material to the site, work crews on site and construction and demolition activity are prohibited except between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday. Work is prohibited on Sundays and Holidays.
- (c) The permit holder must repair any damage to public property, streets, and sidewalks. If damage occurs to the foregoing, it must be repaired within three (3) working days after the damage occurs, unless the permit holder has received written permission from the Building Official to delay repairs to a later specified date.
- (d) The permit holder must maintain a five-foot (5') parking setback from driveways and a thirty-foot (30') parking setback from intersections. When parking on a street, a vehicle must be completely located on the street surface, parallel to and within twelve (12) inches of the curb. Vehicles in violation of these requirements may be towed in accordance with Minnesota Statutes § 168B.035. On street parking of equipment other than licensed motor vehicles is prohibited. Stopping, standing or parking a vehicle is prohibited, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the directions of a police officer or traffic control device, in any of the following places:
 - 1. On a boulevard between the sidewalk and roadway;
 - 2. Within five (5) feet of the intersection of any public or private driveway or alley with any street or highway;
 - 3. Where the vehicle will block a fire escape or the exit from any building;
 - 4. Where temporary signs prohibit parking.

Parking is allowed on local streets if a twelve-foot (12') wide area is open for the traveled portion of the road. On collector and arterial roadways, a minimum of twenty-two feet (22') must be open for the traveled portion of the road. Off-street and off-site parking for on site workers is required to the extent practicable.

Police officers, community service officers, parking monitors and the Residential Redevelopment Coordinator of the City shall be responsible for enforcing the parking requirements and parking regulations of this Section.

- (e) The permit holder must install and maintain a rock entrance pad or its equivalent at each location where vehicles enter or exit the construction site, at locations approved by the Building Official.
- (f) The site must be maintained in a neat and orderly condition. Prior to leaving the construction site at the end of each day, the permit holder must remove empty cans, paper, plastic and other material that is not needed for construction from the site or deposit them in a dumpster. The permit holder must keep streets, sidewalks, boulevard areas and adjacent properties clean from waste, materials or refuse resulting from operations on the site. Inoperable equipment and equipment not being used on the site must be removed within twenty four (24) hours after it becomes inoperable or is no longer in use. Where work on any project lies within areas of pedestrian traffic or vehicular traffic, the project area must be cleaned and swept and all materials related to the project must be stockpiled in appropriate areas. Debris must be contained on the project site. No material may be deposited or stockpiled on the public streets, boulevards, sidewalks or adjacent property. At the end of each working day, the permit holder must remove any soil, trash or debris that washed or was deposited on any public sidewalk or street and must remove any trash or debris that washed or was deposited on any adjacent property.
- (g) Dust control is the responsibility of the permit holder. As weather permits, materials subject to demolition shall be thoroughly dampened with water so as to prevent dust. The permit holder must eliminate dust problems immediately upon receiving notice from the Building Official that there is a dust problem.
- (h) No building material, temporary sanitary facilities, dumpster or equipment may be placed within street right-of-way, or on a sidewalk. Motor vehicles may not be parked or stopped on a sidewalk. Public sidewalks must be left open and unobstructed at all times.
- (i) Prior to commencing demolition, protective fencing approved by the Building Official must be installed around boulevard trees and trees that will not be removed.

Sec. 10-112. Stop Work Orders.

If the Building Official finds any work being performed in a dangerous or unsafe manner or that is in violation of the provisions of the permit, City Code or the State Building Code, the Building Official may issue a stop work order. The stop work order must be in writing and issued to the permit holder or the person doing the work. Upon issuance of a stop work order, the cited work must immediately cease. The stop work order must state the reason for the order and the conditions under which the cited work will be permitted to resume.

Sec. 10-113. Misdemeanor.

Violations of this Section or of the terms of approval of a permit issued under this Section are a misdemeanor.

What is asbestos?

Asbestos is a group of naturally occurring minerals whose crystals form into long, thin fibers. It has been used in thousands of products because of its unique properties, Such as high tensile strength, flexibility, acoustical qualities, and resistance to thermal, chemical, and electrical conditions. If inhaled, asbestos can cause diseases such as lung cancer, mesothelioma and asbestosis.



What common products contain asbestos?

Asbestos has been used in more than 3,600 different products, including, but not limited to, spray-on ceiling and wall texture, fireproofing, plaster, pipe coverings, floor tile, linoleum, duct wrap, boiler insulation, attic insulation, ceiling tile, sheetrock and sheetrock compounds, floor and wall mastics, roofing felt, concrete pipes and exterior siding.

Asbestos products are still being manufactured and imported into the United States. All suspect materials regardless of age must be assumed to be asbestos-containing until they are tested.

How do I know if I have asbestos?

The only way to determine if you have asbestos is to have samples of suspect building materials collected and submitted for analysis. Asbestos inspections must be performed by an asbestos inspector certified by the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH). The inspection should be conducted prior to beginning any renovation or demolition activity. Bulk samples of suspect materials must also be collected in accordance with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) sampling protocol. This can be found in 40 CFR 763.86

Asbestos in materials can be identified only by using a microscope. The laboratory conducting the analysis must be accredited by the National Institute of Science and Technology (NIST) through the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP) or participate in the asbestos bulk analysis program of the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA).

When are inspections required?

All buildings, regardless of age or construction type, must be inspected for asbestos before any renovation or demolition activity begins. This is a requirement under the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) and the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA).

What if the inspector finds asbestos in an area that will be renovated or demolished?

The response action depends upon the type and amount of asbestos found, whether the material will be disturbed and whether or not the asbestos-containing material (ACM) is friable or nonfriable. MDH defines friable as material that contains more than one percent (1%) asbestos and, when dry, can be crumbled, pulverized or reduced to powder by hand pressure or mechanical forces.



- In a commercial property, if more than 160 square feet, 260 linear feet, or 35 cubic feet of ACM is disturbed, the project is regulated.
- In a residential property (single family or less than five units), if more than 6 square feet, 10 linear feet or 1 cubic foot of ACM is disturbed, it is also regulated.

If the amount of material impacted is expected to exceed these amounts, a licensed asbestos contractor is required.

Can I remove asbestos myself?

Due to the multi-agency involvement with asbestos abatement regulation, specific questions about removal projects should be directed to the Asbestos and Lead Compliance Unit of MDH.



Are all commercial and public buildings covered by the MDH asbestos regulations? What about residential buildings?

All buildings within the state of Minnesota where material contains more than 1% asbestos and exceeds the regulated amounts are covered by the regulations. This also includes exterior work.

The only differences would be in the work practices that must be followed.

My building is new and I do not believe it contains asbestos. Do I still need to have it inspected?

Some asbestos materials have been banned from use and installation, whereas other asbestos materials are still used. All suspect materials must be assumed to be asbestoscontaining until they are tested, regardless of the age of the property.

Whom do I have to notify when I renovate a building that contains asbestos?

For commercial properties where the ACM to be disturbed is expected to exceed the regulated amounts, the licensed abatement contractor must submit a Notification of Intent to Perform Asbestos Removal to MDH at least five (5) calendar days in advance. In addition, a Notification of Demolition or Renovation form must be submitted to the MPCA at least ten (10) working days in advance of the project start date.

For residential properties, single family homes or multi-family residences properties where the ACM to be disturbed is expected to exceed the regulated amounts, a Notification of Intent to Perform Asbestos Removal must be submitted to MDH at least five (5) calendar days in advance.

My building does not contain asbestos and will be demolished. Do I still need to notify the state?

The MPCA must be notified of all building demolitions at least ten (10) days in advance, even if asbestos is not present. In addition, local municipalities may require a permit to conduct the demolition.

What will happen if I fail to comply with these regulations?

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in enforcement, including corrective actions and penalties. Both the building owner and the contractor share the responsibility of making sure these requirements are met.



Where can I get a list of inspectors, licensed contractors and necessary forms?

All the information can be obtained by calling MDH at 651-201-4620 or by visiting our website at:

MDH Asbestos

For more information, please contact:



Minnesota Department of Health Environmental Health Division Indoor Environments & Radiation Section Asbestos & Lead Compliance Unit

> Freeman Building 625 Robert Street North P.O. Box 64975 St. Paul, MN 55164-0975

Phone: 651-201-4620 Toll Free: 888-345-0823 Fax: 651-201-4606

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Before you renovate or demolish...



Information you must know about state and federal requirements regarding asbestos.





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DEMOLITION / MOVING PERMIT

Site Information	
Site information	
Address	Suite/Unit #
LotBlockSubdivision	on
Tenant/Building name	
☐ Demolition Description ☐ Move Description	
Proposed starting date	Completion Date
Structure(s) being demolished/moved	
Valuation	Applicant is
(Moving permit cost is \$212.00)	Owner Contractor
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Contractor Information	
	MN Contractors License #
Address	City Ctata 7in
Contact person name	Phone
Contact person name	Phone
Contact person name	
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Demolition Permit Requirements:	Approved by	Data
Sewer and Water disconnected. Permit numberFire Dept burning permit if applicable. Permit Number	Approved by	Date
Survey with grade elevations at each lot corner, grade e	levations at four corners (NW, NE,	SW, SE) of the existing
foundation, and elevation at top of entry floor.		-
Metropolitan Council Environmental Services SAC credit		
letter acknowledging their understanding that SAC cred calendar year the demolition permit is issued.	its will be denied if credit determina	ition not received in the same
calendar year the demonstron permit is issued.		
CONDITION OF PERMIT: Property r		
abandoned at the property line with a adjacent grade and seed or sod place		
issued for a new structure within 20 c		as. <u>ON</u> A permit must be
Contractor Owner Issued for a new structure within 50 c Initial Initial	and the standard motor	
Applicant Signature		
I hereby apply for a permit and attest to the following:		
* All information on this application is complete ar		
* All work will comply with Conditions of Permit, E	•	-
* I understand this is an application only, not a pe	• •	•
* All work will be done according to plans approve		plans are required.
* Erosion and sediment control will be installed be	•	
* Effective July 1, 2015: Tree Protection Plan req	•	
Applicant's signature	Date	
Applicant's printed or typed name		
Owner/Applicant Statement - To be completed only	when the homeowner is the peri	mit applicant
I understand the State of Minnesota requires residential contractors, residen		
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I further acknowledge I may be hiring independent contractors to perform of		
these contractors may be required to be licensed by the State. I understar activity is a misdemeanor under Minnesota law, and I forfeit my rights to re		
hire are unlicensed.		•
Homeowner's signature	Date	
Homeowner's typed or printed name		
Contact the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Enforcement Division to	determine if a contractor is licensed or exer	mpt or to check on contractor status.
Metro: (651) 296-2594, Outstate: 1 (800) 657-3602, www.commerce.state.		
*Demolition permits requiring an escrow account	can request a refund online af	ter the demolition permit
has been closed at: http://edinamn.gov/index.php?se	ection=escrow-refund	•
Approvals for office use only	Fees	for office use only
Building Inspections Dept	Fixed permit fee Yes	□No
By Date	Permit fee (by value)	
Planning Dept/Heritage Preservation Board	` · ·	<u></u>
By/Date/	State surcharge Yes	<u></u>
Engineering Dept By Date	Investigation fee Yes [
Fire Dept	Escrow (\$2,500) Tes	No
By Date		
Police Dept		
By Date		

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Date

RESIDENTIAL DEMOLITION CHECKLIST



EDINA BUILDING SAFETY GUIDELINES/INFORMATION₁					
Application Submittal Requirements – Residential Demolition Permit 2007 MSBC 1300.013					
subject code reference					
Inspections Department		and 66-			
department		approval			
Guidelines	#2	5/20/15	1 of 1		
policy number	revision number	effective date	page number		



Instructions: Please fill out checklist completely and submit with your permit application when all items have been fulfilled.

SITE ADDRESS:

Check if Submitted/	Items Required Prior to Permit Approval					
	Executed demolition permit application. Application information must be complete, including owner information and phone number. Must be typed or legibly printed.					
	Two copies of the existing conditions survey. Survey to include: a) Grade elevations at each lot corner b) Grade elevations at four corners (NW, NE, SW, SE) of the existing foundation c) Elevation at top of entry floor					
	Public Works has been notified at 952.826.0375 to turn off curb stop and remove water meter. Please allow a minimum of 48 hours advance notice. Date notified:					
	Sewer and Water disconnect: Permit Number EDApproved byDate:					
	Signature contractor/property owner verification Electrical service is disconnected.					
	Signature contractor/property owner verification Natural Gas service is disconnected.					
	Completed Construction Management Plan, signed by prime contractor					
	A copy of the Neighborhood Meeting Notification letter					
	Copy of the list of properties within 300' of the perimeter of the site that were sent notification letters. *Mailing labels may be purchased by contacting the Planning Dept. at 952.826.0369.					
	Copy of contract from a licensed abatement contractor verifying the removal of hazardous materials was properly handled, or an asbestos survey indicating the dwelling requires no removal of such materials per MDH Regulations http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/eh/asbestos/factsheets/asbregpamphlet.pdf					
	Provide site safety plan. 4' safety fencing shall enclose existing basement perimeter/excavations with steep slopes.					
	Required sign has been posted on site at least 5 days before demolition w/ minimum 4" height address numbers in contrasting color (reflective if possible) and a minimum of 48" above grade.					
	Effective July 1, 2015: Tree Protection Plan required per Ordinance No. 2014-25					
	Is shoring required? (YES or NO) When shoring is required: Provide a shoring plan signed by a MN registered engineer.					
	Dust control plan. Edina City Code Sec. 10-111(g) states "Dust control is the responsibility of the permit holder. As weather permits, materials subject to demolition shall be thoroughly dampened with water so as to prevent dust." For fire hydrant access, allowed May 1 st -Oct 31 st or other as approved by Public Works, please visit the Public Works Facility (7450 Metro Blvd) to apply for a Hydrant Permit. A private water truck may also be utilized.					

^{*}Before commencing demolition, please notify Redevelopment Coordinator at 952.833.9521 or clarson@edinamn.gov no later than 4:00PM the day before demolition begins.

PLEASE NOTE:

- Prior to release of permit, an onsite inspection will be conducted to verify: signage, silt fence, storm drain inlet protection (seasonal), proper construction entrance and tree protection fencing. If these items are not complete, permit will not be issued.
- If new home construction will not begin immediately following demolition, call Inspections at 952.826.0372 for a hole inspection verifying the
 removal of all construction debris prior to any filling.
 - > Call Inspections at 952.826.0372 after site is filled to match adjacent grade and turf has been established. Restoration required within 30 days of demolition.
- Minnehaha Creek (952.471.0590) and Nine Mile Creek Watershed Districts (952.835.2078) are notified of all demolition permit applications. If
 you are also applying for a new building permit for your site, please apply for any required watershed permits to expedite the process.

Demo permits are reviewed and approved by the Building, Public Works and Planning Departments. Review times may vary; applicants should allow one week of review time if submittals are accurate and complete. Submitting incomplete plans and documents will cause delays to the review process.

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Contact person:	Signature:	
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Neighborhood Meeting Notification Letter

Per Edina City Code Chapter 10 Article IV. Sec 110 (5) [in part]: Written notification of demolition. For a demolition permit, at least 15 days before demolition commences, the permit holder must provide written notification to all property owners within 300 feet of the demolition site notifying the property owners of the proposed demolition and building plans, if applicable, and invite them to a neighborhood meeting. The neighborhood meeting must be held at least five days before demolition commences.

The City of Edina encourages the following information to be included in neighborhood notification letters:

- 1. Your company's name, a primary contact person's name, phone number and email address
- 2. The neighborhood meeting date, location and time
- 3. Anticipated demolition and new construction schedule

To assist you, below please find a sample letter:

Dear Neighbor,

Our company, ABC Builders, will be building a new home for the Hanson family at 12345 Merry Way. Soon we will be preparing the site and existing home for demolition.

We would like to share the plans and survey* with the neighbors and discuss any questions or concerns you may have. We will be available on Wednesday, January 22nd at 12345 Merry Way from 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. There will be a full set of plans and a site survey available for viewing at this meeting. Should this meeting time not work with your schedule, you are welcome to contact me and we can schedule an alternate time to meet individually.

Demolition of the existing home will commence in early February and construction of the new home will begin shortly thereafter. Please know we will make every effort to monitor our subcontractors and craftsmen to ensure sensitivity to your neighborhood and maintain a clean job site. The initial stages of construction do require larger vehicles such as a backhoe trailer and cement trucks, so we will be working diligently in trying to prevent parking issues and appreciate your patience during these stages.

We look forward to the opportunity to bring a new family to Merry Way. If you have any concerns or questions throughout the duration of our construction phase, please feel free to contact me at 123-456-7890 or builder@abcbuilder.com.

Sincerely,

The Builder

ABC Builders

*Having a copy of the property's survey and house plans available for viewing at the meeting is highly recommended.



Demolition and Building Permit Signage Requirements

For a Demolition Permit (Edina City Code Chapter 10 Article IV. Sec 110.) - A sign must be posted on the demolition site at least five (5) days before demolition commences identifying the nature of the demolition, the permit holder, a contact name and phone number, and the site address. The sign must also provide a City phone number to call with any questions, complaints or concerns (Construction Complaint Hotline 952.826.0400). The dimension of the sign must be between five (5) and six (6) square feet. The sign and the content of the sign must be visible from the street. The sign must be kept in place until the completion of demolition.

For a Building Permit (Edina City Code Chapter 10 Article IV. Sec 110.) - A sign must be posted on the permit site at least five (5) days before construction commences identifying the nature of the construction, the permit holder, a contact name and phone number, and the site address. The sign must also provide a City phone number to call with any questions, complaints or concerns (Construction Complaint Hotline 952.826.0400). The dimension of the sign must be between five (5) and six (6) square feet. The sign and the content of the sign must be visible from the street. The sign must be kept in place until a certificate of occupancy has been issued.

Sample Sign Template:

36 inches

DEMO & NEW HOMESITE

Street Address of Property**

Your Company Name
Your Company's Contact Phone Number

City of Edina Construction Complaint Hotline: 952.826.0400

4 inches

^{**}Per Edina Building Safety Policy, residential addresses shall be displayed with contrasting (and reflective if possible) numbers that are a minimum of 4" high and 48" above grade.

ORDINANCE NO. 2014-25 AN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT REGARDING TREE PRESERVATION & SUBDIVISIONS

The City Council Of Edina Ordains:

- **Section 1.** Chapter 10, Article III of the Edina City Code is amended to add Division 3 as follows: DIVISION III. TREE PROTECTION
- **Sec. 10-82. Preservation, protection and replacement of Protected Trees:** This Division applies to: demolition permits; subdivisions applications; building permit applications for principal and accessory structures including a garage, deck or a pool; and additions to principal and accessory structures.
 - (1) Purpose: Edina is fortunate to have a robust inventory of mature trees that form an integral part of the unique character and history of the city, and that contribute to the long-term aesthetic, environmental, and economic well-being of the city. The goal of this Section is to preserve Edina's high valued trees, while allowing reasonable development to take place and not interfere with how existing property owners use their property. The purpose of the ordinance is to:
 - a. Preserve and grow Edina's tree canopy cover by protecting mature trees throughout the city.
 - b. Protect and enhance property values by conserving and adding to the distinctive and unique aesthetic character of Edina's tree population.
 - c. Protect and enhance the distinctive character of Edina's neighborhoods
 - d. Improve the quality of life for all stakeholders, including city residents, visitors and wildlife.
 - e. Protect the environment by the filtering of air and soil pollutants, increasing oxygen levels and reducing CO2; preventing and reducing erosion and stormwater by stabilizing soils; reducing heat convection; decreasing wind speeds; reducing noise pollution and decreasing the urban heat island effect.
 - f. Protect and maintain healthy trees in the development and building permit processes as set forth herein; and prevent tree loss by eliminating or reducing compacted fill and excavation near tree roots.

(2) Definitions:

a. <u>Protected Tree:</u> Any tree that is structurally sound and healthy, and that meets one of the following:

- i. a deciduous tree that is at least 8 inches dbh, except box elders, poplar, willow, silver maple, black locust, fruit tree species, and mulberry.
- ii. a coniferous tree that is at least 20 feet in height.
- b. <u>Removable Tree.</u> Any tree not defined as a Protected Tree, and as defined as an invasive species by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.
- c. <u>Critical Root Zone.</u> The minimum area around a tree that is left undisturbed. The critical root radius is calculated by measuring the tree's diameter at breast height. For each inch of tree diameter, 1.5 feet of root zone radius must be protected. For example, if a tree's dbh is 10 inches, then its critical root zone radius is 15 feet ($10 \times 1.5 = 15$). If the critical root zone must be disturbed for construction or construction activity, a plan for the disturbance shall be submitted subject to review and approval of the city forester to minimize the damage.
- d. Diameter at Breast Height (dbh). The dbh shall be measured at a height of 4.6 feet.
- e. <u>Transplanted Tree</u>. A protected tree which is removed from a lot and replanted to another private lot or a public space in Edina.
- (3) Applications must include a tree inventory plan indicating where Protected Trees are located and, their species, caliper, and health. The plan must show how Protected Trees are preserved and protected during construction. The plan must also show if any Protected Trees are proposed to be removed and the location, species and size of all replacement tree(s).
- (4) If a Protected Tree is removed, except as allowed for in paragraph (5), it must be replaced with one (1) tree, subject to the following conditions:
 - a. Protected trees must be replaced with species of a similar type (deciduous or coniferous) that are normally found growing in similar conditions and that are included on the list of acceptable replacement species on file with the city forester.
 - b. Replacement trees must be varied by species.
 - c. Replacement trees must not be subject to known epidemic diseases or infestations. Disease or infestation resistant species and cultivars are allowed.
 - d. Replacement trees must be at least two and one-half inches (2.5") in caliper for deciduous trees and a minimum of seven feet (7') tall for coniferous trees.

- e. Replacement tree plans are subject to approval by the City Forester before implementation.
- f. The tree inventory plan shall be verified at the time of final inspection for the building permit.
- g. If the city determines that there is no appropriate location for some or all the required replacement trees, those trees will not be required on site. The city shall require the replacement trees on public property if there is no appropriate location on site.
- (5) Protected Trees may be removed without mitigation, in the following areas:
 - a. Including, and within a ten-foot (10') radius of, the building pad, deck or patio of a new or remodeled building.
 - b. Including, and within a five-foot (5') radius of driveways and parking areas.
 - c. Including, and within ten-foot (10') radius of installation of public infrastructure improvements including public roadways, stormwater retention areas and utilities.
- (6) Before construction, grading or land clearing begins; city-approved tree protection fencing or other method must be installed and maintained at the critical root zones of the trees to be protected. The location of the fencing must be in conformance with the approved tree preservation plan. The fencing must be inspected by city staff before site work begins. The fencing must remain in place until all demolition and construction is complete.
- (7) No construction, compaction, construction access, stock piling of earth, storage of equipment or building materials, or grading may occur within the critical root zone areas of trees to be protected, unless there are no other on-site alternatives. If there are no other alternatives, a plan for this activity would need to be reviewed and approved by the city forester. A reasonable effort must be made when trenching utility lines to avoid the critical root zone.
- (8) When construction is complete all trees to remain must have the soil out to their drip line aerated and de-compacted. Aerating must include multiple concentric circles of 1" holes, 2" deep, or as recommended by an arborist.
- (9) If Protected Trees were removed within one (1) year prior to the date the development, subdivision application, demolition and building permit_applications were submitted, these Protected Trees are also subject to the replacement policy set forth in paragraph (4) above.

- (10) Any transplanted tree shall not be counted as a protected tree that is removed under this section and shall not count as a tree that requires replacement under this section.
- **Section 2.** Chapter 32. Article III. Evaluation of Plats and Subdivisions is hereby revised as follows:

Subsection 32-7. (Subdivisions.) Variances are hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 32-7. Variances.

- (a) *Grant by Council*. In connection with the preliminary or final approval of a plat or subdivision the Council may grant variances from the provisions of this Section. The Council shall grant variances only upon finding that an unusual hardship exists as to the land within the plat or subdivision, and specifically that:
 - (1) That there are special circumstances or conditions affecting the property such that the strict application of the provisions of this title would deprive the applicant reasonable use of their land.
 - (2) That the granting of the variance will not be detrimental to the public health, safety and welfare or injurious to other property in the territory in which property is situated.
 - (3) That the variance is to correct inequities resulting from an extreme physical hardship including topography, or inadequate access to direct sunlight for solar energy systems.

A grant of a variance by the Council shall be deemed to include a favorable finding on each of the variance grounds set out above even if not specifically set out in the approval resolution or the minutes of the Council meeting.

(b) *Conditions*. In granting a variance the Council may impose conditions to ensure compliance with the purpose and objectives of this Section and other applicable provisions of this Code and to protect adjacent properties. The conditions may be made a part of any Development Contract required by article IV of this chapter.

Section 3. Chapter 32. Article III. Evaluation of Plats and Subdivisions is hereby revised as follows:

Sec. 32-130. Considerations.

(1) Whether the physical characteristics of the property, including, without limitation, topography, vegetation, susceptibility to erosion or siltation, susceptibility to flooding, use as a natural recovery and ponding area for storm water, and potential disturbance of

- slopes with a grade of 18 percent or more, are such that the property is not suitable for the type of development or use proposed.
- (2) Whether development within the proposed plat or subdivision will cause the disturbance of more than 25 percent of the total area in such plat or subdivision containing slopes exceeding 18 percent.
- (3) Comply with Section 10-82.

Section 4. Chapter 36. Article VIII. Districts and District Regulations is hereby revised to add the following:

Sec. 36-437. Requirements for lot areas and dimensions.

- (5) Variances from Section 36-437. When Variances are requested from Section 36-437, requirements for lot areas and dimensions, the Planning Commission and City Council may consider the following criteria in addition to Section 36-98:
 - a. The impact of the proposed plat or subdivision, and proposed development, on the character and symmetry of the neighborhood as evidenced and indicated by, but not limited to, the following matters:
 - i. The suitability of the size and shape of the lots in the proposed plat or subdivision relative to the size and shape of lots in the neighborhood; and
 - ii. The compatibility of the size, shape, location and arrangement of the lots in the proposed plat or subdivision with the proposed density and intended use of the site and the density and use of lots in the neighborhood.
 - b. The impact of the proposed plat or subdivision, and proposed development, on the environment, including but not limited to, topography, steep slopes, vegetation, naturally occurring lakes, ponds and streams, susceptibility of the site to erosion and sedimentation, susceptibility of the site to flooding and water storage needs on and from the site.
 - c. The consistency of the proposed plat or subdivision, and proposed development, and compliance by the proposed plat or subdivision, and the proposed development, with the policies, objectives, and goals of the Comprehensive Plan.
 - d. The compliance of the proposed plat or subdivision, and the proposed development with the policies, objectives, goals and requirements of chapter 36 including, without limitation, the lot size provisions and the floodplain overlay district provisions of chapter 36.

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- e. The impact of the proposed plat or subdivision, and proposed development on the health, safety and general welfare of the public.
- f. The relationship of the design of the site, or the improvements proposed and the conflict of such design or improvements, with any easements of record or on the ground.
- g. The relationship of lots in the proposed plat or subdivision to existing streets and the adequacy and safety of ingress to and egress from such lots from and to existing streets.
- h. The adequacy of streets in the proposed plat or subdivision, and the conformity with existing and planned streets and highways in surrounding areas. Streets in the proposed plat or subdivision shall be deemed inadequate if designed or located so as to prevent or deny public street access to adjoining properties, it being the policy of the City to avoid landlocked tracts, parcels or lots.
- i. The suitability of street grades in relation to the grades of lots and existing or future extension of the City's water, storm and sanitary sewer systems.
- j. The adequacy and availability of access by police, fire, ambulance and other life safety vehicles to all proposed improvements to be developed on the proposed plat or subdivision.
- k. Whether the proposed plat or subdivision, or the improvements proposed to be placed thereon are likely to cause substantial environmental damage.

Section 5. This ordinance is effective July 1, 2015.

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Attest		
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